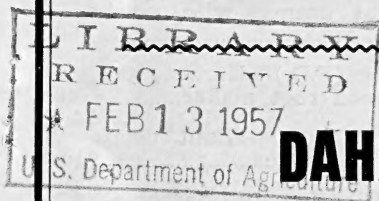


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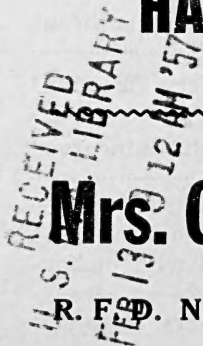
PRICE LIST



DAHLIAS

GLADIOLUS

HARDY BULBS



Mrs. Geo. E. Horton

R. F. D. No. 1 — Curryville, Mo.

GLADIOLUS

Unlabeled COLLECTION of many choice kinds and colors—both plain and ruffled types—100 bulbs, \$4.10; 50 bulbs, \$2.20; 25 bulbs, \$1.20.

These varieties labeled, large bulbs, 10c each; 3 for 25c.

GOLD—Large ruffled deep yellow. A beauty.

RED WING—Fine red.

SHERWOOD—Large ruffled red-purple.

GENE—Light yellow ruffled.

LANCASTER—Ruffled red-purple.

LAVENDER PRINCE—Large deep lavender. Fine.

OKLAHOMA—Lovely ruffled gray with creamy throat blotch.

ORANGE GOLD—Vivid deep orange.

PHANTOM BEAUTY—Light pink.

ROBINSON CRUSOE—Marbled tan with rusty purple.

VELVET MANTLE—Deep red.

These varieties labeled, large bulbs, 8c each or three bulbs of ONE KIND for 20c.

AMULET—Ruffled salmon-buff.

BLACK OPAL—Very dark red.

BURMA—Ruffled deep rose-red.

CAMELLIA—Shell pink with red blotch.

CASABLANCA—Fine ruffled white.

DIEPPE—Lovely salmon red.

ELIZABETH THE QUEEN—Lovely ruffled lavender.

ETHEL C. COLE—Light salmon pink.

FRIENDSHIP—Light pink.

MAID OF ORLEANS—Good early white.

MINSTREL—Large ruffled lavender.

REWI - FALLU—Deep velvety red.

VALERIA—Early bright red.

WHITE GOLD—White, yellow throat.

AMARYLLIS

Bright red with white stripe. Blooms in
March. Each 60c

HARDY AMARYLLIS (*Lycoris squamigera*)—Also
called "Magic Lily." Has green foliage in early
spring which disappears by July. In August
the flower stalks shoot up to a height of two
feet or more with an umbel of beautiful lilac-
pink flowers. Very hardy. Large bulbs..... 50c

TUBEROSES—Early, free blooming, very fragrant,
single pure white.....15c each or two for 25c

HARDY BULBS FOR FALL PLANTING

COLCHICUM (Fall Crocus)—Foliage in spring dies down and blooms pop up in fall without foliage. Each	25c
DAFFODILS—NARCISSUS—Many fine varieties assorted—Trumpet, Short Cup, Poetaz and Double. Dozen	50c
EARLIEST YELLOW TRUMPET Dozen.....	40c
WHITE (Poetaz) dozen	35c
DOUBLE (Assorted) dozen	50c
GRAPE HYACINTHS (Muscara) Blue, dozen.....	30c
LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY (Convallaria), 30 pips.....	\$1.00
SCILLA—Spikes of bright blue flowers in early spring. Dozen	70c

Don't forget to add 20c extra to help pay postage if your order does not amount to \$2 or more.



GREETINGS FOR 1957

One of the most difficult things to do is to express one's feelings in mere words, but I would like to convey my sincere thanks and appreciation to you. Your friendship and loyalty over the years have meant so much to me. This may be my last price list as I plan to sell my business before another season and if I do I will certainly miss the pleasant contact with so many of you who have been both friend and customer for so many years. I wish I could make you understand what it has meant to me. I will always think of you as "friends" and my best wishes are extended to you—not only this year but always.

Flowers are lovely; Love is flower-like;
Friendship is a sheltering tree;
O! the joys, that came down shower-like,
Of Friendship, Love and Liberty,
Ere I was old.

—Coleridge.

I have lots of nice roots and bulbs but am rather short on some varieties so please name some to use as second choice if possible or give me permission to substitute. I will always give equal or better value.

All bulbs and roots are state inspected—guaranteed true to name and to reach you in good growing condition. If not satisfied when you receive them let me know at once and I will make adjustment. I cannot guarantee all bulbs to grow as too many things beyond my control can happen to them.

Parcel Post rates are very high but all orders amounting to \$2.00 or more are sent postpaid. If less than \$2.00 please add 20c to help pay postage.

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Symbols used to describe type of bloom are as follows:
(F.D.)—Formal Decorative; (I.D.)—Informal Decorative;
(C.)—Cactus; (S.C.)—Semi-Cactus; (Pom.)—Pompon;
(I.C.)—Incurved Cactus.

- 227 ALCAZAR (S.C.)—Large deep fuchsia red..... 50c
112 ALL AMERICAN (S.C.)—Very large mulberry
rose. One of the finest..... 50c
291 AMI LOUIS BLIN (S.C.)—The vigorous well
branching plants produce a wealth of lovely
very dark red flowers on good stems.....\$1.00

225	DEEP VELVET (F.D.)—Dark carmine, fine stems	50c
268	DIXIE WINE DOT (I.D.)—Very large white splashed and dotted purple.....	75c
287	DOLLY SAWYER (I.D.)—Lovely creamy white giant flowers with good stems. A favorite.....	60c
323	EDNA D. (S.C.)—Beautiful large cherry red....	75c
239	FAITHFUL (S.C.)—Very large fine white.....	40c
181	GEN. JOHN J. PERSHING (S.C.) —Lovely coral-bronze. Very large with long stems.....	75c
316	HEADLIGHT (S.C.)—V.ry large deep golden yellow with peach reverse.....	\$1.00
307	INTERRO (I.C.) —Bright orange with good stems	50c
235	JOHN A. KERNOCHAN (F.D.)—Garnet red usually tipped white. Good root maker.....	40c
264	JOSEPH B. LANGTREE (S.C.)—Giant deep blood-red flowers on strong stems.....	\$1.00
233	JUDY ANDERSON (S.C.)—Lovely maroon—most flowers tipped white.....	40c
277	KELVIN (F.D.)—One of the largest. Beautiful deep peach pink.....	\$1.00
159	KENTUCKY SPORTSMAN (I.D.)—One of the largest bi-colors. Center lemon yellow—outer petals golden amber tipped white.....	50c
132	KILGORE'S KING (I.D.) —A magnificent flower of flesh and gold. Very large.....	25c
214	KIRSTEN FLAGSTAD (I.D.)—Very large buff with gold and apricot shadings.....	75c
107	MAD C. JUSSAINT (C.)—Beautiful incurved lilac	50c
111	MAFFIE (S.C.)—A giant intense red, can be grown to 14 inches. A beauty.....	\$1.00
309	MAMBO (S.C.)—Deep blood red with mahogany hues	\$1.00
317	MARGARET MORRIS (F.D.)—Very large salmon pink	50c
150	MAUD HORTON (I.D.) —Beautiful white flowers with yellow stripe.....	50c
98	MILTON J. CROSS (I.D.)—Lovely, large long stemmed lemon yellow.....	50c

223	PURPLE TRIUMPH (F.D.)—Rich violet purple. Very large on good stems. Early and continuous bloomer	50c
311	RED AND WHITE (F.D.)—Medium sized flowers of fiery red with white tips.....	75c
123	RED SUNSET (I.D.)—Very large bright vivid scarlet. Vigorous grower.....	30c
319	REES' MIDNIGHT (F.D.)—Dark maroon on very long stems.....	50c
124	RITA WELLS (S.C.)—Very large Grenadine pink or buff. Early.....	60c
42	ROSE GLORY (F.D.)—Large rose pink.....	25c
222	RUDOLPH MOTZNIK (I.D.)—Very large fine lavender pink	75c
180	SARRETT'S PINK FLAMINGO (C.)—Large rose pink with yellow at center.....	\$1.00
184	SHERWOOD'S PEACH (I.D.)—Another giant. Orange apricot, with cane-like stems.....	25c
238	SILVER METEOR (F.D.)—Very large silvery mauve. A beauty	\$1.00
286	SMOKY (I.C.)—Beautiful deep mauve with a touch of bronze and gold.....	\$1.00
296	SPOTLIGHT (F.D.)—Brilliant orange red. Medium size	50c
167	T. A. EDISON (F.D.)—Large royal purple.....	60c
285	THE CARDINAL (S.C.)—Beautiful glowing red. Enormous flowers on good stems.....	75c
259	TORERO (S.C.)—Beautiful large turkey red with yellow tips. Profuse bloomer.....	50c
138	VICTORY (F.D.)—Large rose pink suffused gold. A beauty and profuse bloomer.....	50c
141	VIRGINIA RUTE (S.C.)—Oxblood-red shaded garnet. Very large with stiff stems. One of the finest	60c
226	W. H. T. (F.D.)—Very large deep rose—a beauty	40c

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165	ANDRIES' ORANGE (S.C.)—Beautiful bright orange with long stems.....	25c
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321	ATOMIC YELLOW (S.C.)—Very large flowers of beautiful golden yellow.....	75c
274	AUTUMN GIANT (I.D.)—Very large apricot and old gold.....	50c
324	BERTHA SHONE (C.)—Lavender-pink with lighter center and lacinated tips. One of the most beautiful	\$1.00
303	BLACKBIRD (I.C.)—Velvety black-red with long stems and very narrow petals.....	75c
272	BLACK MONARCH (S.C.)—Very large ox-blood red	75c
205	BLUE HORIZON (I.D.)—Beautiful French violet with blue cast. Good stems.....	50c
155	BLUE MOON (I.D.)—Very large beautiful deep lavender shading to lilac purple at center.....	30c
322	CALIFORNIA CENTENNIAL (I.D.) — Giant flowers. A blend of straw yellow and buff.....	75c
279	CASPER LUDWIG'S MEMORY (C.) — Very fine deep blood-red with very long stiff stems. A beauty	75c
228	CLARA HOOK (C.)—Yellow tinted apricot. Large profuse bloomer.....	50c
278	CLASS (F.D.)—Sulphur yellow with giant flowers	50c
157	COMMANDO (F.D.)—Large dark lavender.....	25c
304	CROYDON MASTERPIECE (F.D.) — Sensational salmon-orange shaded copper. Very fine	50c
244	DAHLIAMUM (I.D.)—Very large apricot with golden sheen. A beauty.....	\$1.00
301	DARK DAYS (F.D.) — Beautiful very dark velvety red with bluish cast at center of petals. Very outstanding and lovely.....	50c
276	D-DAY (F.D.)—Light rose pink with long stems. Early and profuse.....	35c

108	MISS ELSIE JANE (S.C.)—Beautiful shrimp pink and cream. A fine cut flower and profuse bloomer	40c
151	MISSOURI DREAM (C.)—My origination. Amaranth purple with white reverse. Blooms large with strong straight stems.....	50c
283	MOEDER AARSTEN (C.)—Free flowering deep yellow with bronze tint. Looks like a large mum	40c
255	MONARCH OF THE EAST (I.D.)—Giant gold with apricot suffusions. Very long stems.....	40c
105	MRS. C. D. ANDERSON (B.)—Large purple quilled	40c
288	NANOOK (F.D.)—Early free-flowering pure white. Good stems	75c
275	NEW LOOK (S.C.)—Beautiful Empire yellow. Very large on long stems.....	50c
195	OGDEN REID (F.D.)—Very large rose pink. A beauty	50c
300	ORANGE SPECIAL (I.D.)—Dark autumn with jasper red at center. On two honor rolls.....	\$2.00
289	ORFEO (C.)—Beautiful deep glistening purple. Early and a good cut flower.....	75c
253	ORIENTAL QUEEN (F.D.)—Large bright orange red with lighter shadings.....	50c
284	PEARL HARBOR (I.D.)—Very large lavender splashed dark purple. Named in honor of Pearl Harbor	50c
318	PRESIDENT MOES (I.C.)—Large deep salmon pink	\$1.00
219	PRESIDENT TRUMAN (I.D.)—Very large lovely deep rose pink.....	50c
281	PRINCE OF YELLOWS (S.C.)—Clear yellow....	40c

146	BETTY ANN (Pom.)—Lovely little pink.....	25c
173	BUCKEYE BABY (F.D.)—Golden buff.....	25c
299	IKE (F.D.)—Blood red. Lascinated tips. Long stems	25c
136	HONEY (Pom.)—Tiny yellow edged red.....	25c
92	MORNING MIST (Pom.) — White tinged lavender	25c
129	SHERRY (Pom.)—Tiny deep purple.....	25c
276	WHITE FAWN (F.D.)—Waxy white. One of the best cut flowers.....	25c

SPECIAL OFFER—Seven unlabeled dahlia roots, \$2.00. These are all good named varieties—some very finest. Supply limited. Will send roots with good eye or sprout but cannot replace any that fail to grow.

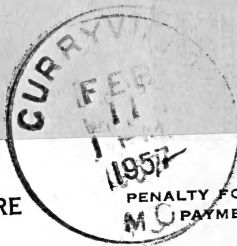
A FEW POINTERS ON DAHLIA CULTURE

Plant tubers 4 to 6 inches deep and about three feet apart in well worked soil. I usually plant from May 20 to June 10. Do not plant near buildings or trees—they do best in full sun. Keep top soil stirred, allow no crust to form and keep free of grass and weeds. Do not water unless very dry—then soak thoroughly once a week—a slight sprinkling will do more harm than good. As the buds develop in groups of three—remove the two side buds leaving only the middle or terminal bud and you will have large flowers with longer stems.



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